

NOTICE OF RACE LABOR DAY REGATTA & PAST COMMODORE'S SHRIMP BOIL & SPECIAL OLYMPICS FUNDRAISER September 3 & 4, 2016



The Lake Norman Yacht Club, 297 Yacht Club Rd. Mooresville, NC 28117 invites you to the 2016 Labor Day Regatta, "Beach Boys and Girls Fun" There will be great sailboat racing, vintage cars on the lawn for selfies, Past Commodore's Shrimp Boil for dinner, Band, dancing and dance contest, and Special Olympics wine/craft beer tasting fundraiser. Come join the fun. Camping at the club is available. No pets allowed.

Attention: Dinner reservations by Sep. 1st

Trophies based on registrations by Aug 26

RULES: The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in 2013 – 2016 The Racing Rules of Sailing, except as any of these are changed by the sailing instructions. Keelboats will race under LNKC Lake-wide Sailing Instructions (LSI).

ELIGIBILITY: The Regatta is open to boats of all classes including juniors, centerboards and keelboats. Classes are open to both US Sailing members and non-members. Boats shall be broken into classes as determined by the race committee, based upon registration. One Design Classes shall consist of not less than three like boats, except a multi-class handicap fleet that may be formed at the discretion of the regatta committee. The number and makeup of the PHRF classes will be determined based upon registration. Keelboats must be 20' LOA or longer. PHRF keelboats must have a current LNKC PHRF certificate number. If you do not have a LNKC PHRF certificate, please apply for one at www.lnkc.com.

SCHEDULE OF RACES: Races scheduled are 3 for the Spinnaker and Non-spinnaker PHRF keelboats. There will be up to 7 races for the one-design classes on the Around the Buoys Course (ATB) with each class to specify a maximum number of races for their class at the Competitor's meeting, There will be unlimited races for the Junior course. No races will be started after 1300 hrs on Sunday.

SCORING: Scoring will be Low Point Scoring System Appendix A except that all races shall be scored (changes appendix A2). Keelboats will race under PHRF Time on Time. Both Spin and Non-Spin classes are expected. PHRF classes may be further divided based on the entries received. For all fleets - A minimum of one race constitutes a Regatta.

AWARDS: Trophies will be given in each class according to the following fleet sizes:

3-5 boats = 1 trophy 14-18 boats = 4 trophies 6-9 boats = 2 trophies 19+ boats = 5 trophies

10-13 boats = 3 trophies

Trophy quantities will be based upon Pre-Registration numbers as of Friday, August 26, 2016.

REGISTRATION: Pre-Registration by Sept. 1st, on Line via the LNYC website <u>www.lnyc.org</u>, and Regatta Network for both the Regatta and the Past Commodore's Shrimp Boil – enjoy the discounts. The shrimp will be purchased on Friday, so register on-line by Sept. 1st, to assure that you and your guests will have a dinner reservation.

REGISTRATION FEES: Registration and Payment received after Thursday, Sept. 1st will be subject to a late fee.

- o \$45 Regatta fee for Keelboats and Centerboards (after Sept. 1st \$60)
- o \$25 Regatta fee for Juniors (after Sept. 1st. \$40)
- o \$14.00 Adult Saturday Dinner (if available after Sept. 1st \$18)
- o \$8.00 Child Dinner (Under 12) (if available after Sept. 1st \$12)
- Registering at the regatta: Make all checks payable to Lake Norman Yacht Club.

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS: Sailing Instructions will be posted on the Official Bulletin Board located at the Race Management Center. Copies will be available at registration. For keelboats, LSI are available at www.lnkc.com. **COURSES**: There will be three race areas: Keelboat course will include Spinnaker and Non-spinnaker PHRF keelboats on the down the lake course. Keelboats must be 20' LOA or longer. Around the Buoys course will be for one-design fleets and a miscellaneous fleet. Junior course will include Optis, Sunfish, Lasers and 420s sailing around the buoys course. ATB (centerboard) courses will be described in the Sailing Instructions. All Keelboat courses will be as described in the LNKC LSI. All course locations will be in the vicinity of Lake Norman Yacht Club with specific locations to be announced at the Competitors' Meeting. Final fleet and course assignments are at the discretion of the race committee.

RADIOS - As a courtesy, the ATB and KB Race Committee will use VHF channel 71 to provide information to competitors. After the starting signal, the Race Committee will attempt to hail boats that are OCS and boats that have not complied with RRS 30.1.

DIRECTIONS: Directions to LNYC are available at www.lnyc.org. Use Ctrl-Click to follow this link: Directions to LNYC - Google Maps

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Saturday, September 3rd

0800-1000	Registration
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1015	COMPETITORS' MEETING
1130	WARNING SIGNAL Race 1- additional races to follow first race of the day
1700-1830	Special Olympics Social & wine/craft beer tasting fundraiser, corn hole, and Vintage Car
	Photo Selfies on Clubhouse lawn
1830	Dinner
2000-2300	LIVE BAND Music, Dancing, and dance contest

Sunday September 4th

0800-0900 Coffee/Continental Breakfast

0925 WARNING SIGNAL - additional races to follow first race of the day

No races will begin after this time

ASAP Awards Presentation

Entertainment:

Mike Robinson and band. Dance music for all ages and tastes!

Food: Past Commodore's Shrimp Boil

Social: Fundraiser for Special Olympics craft beer, local wine, and finger foods.

Dance contest with prizes